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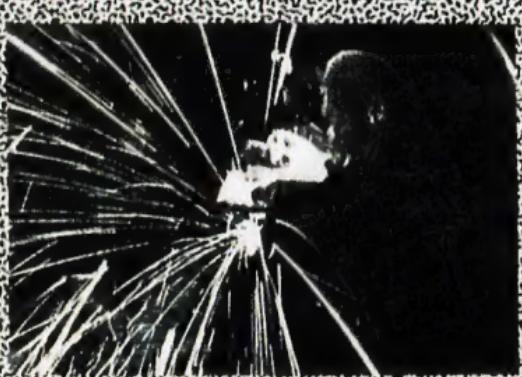
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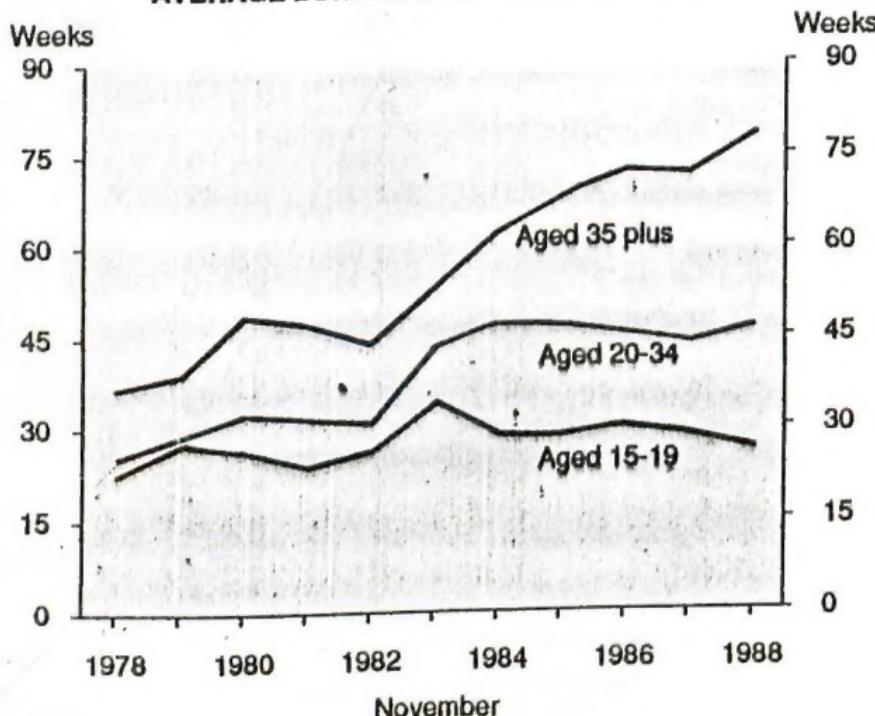
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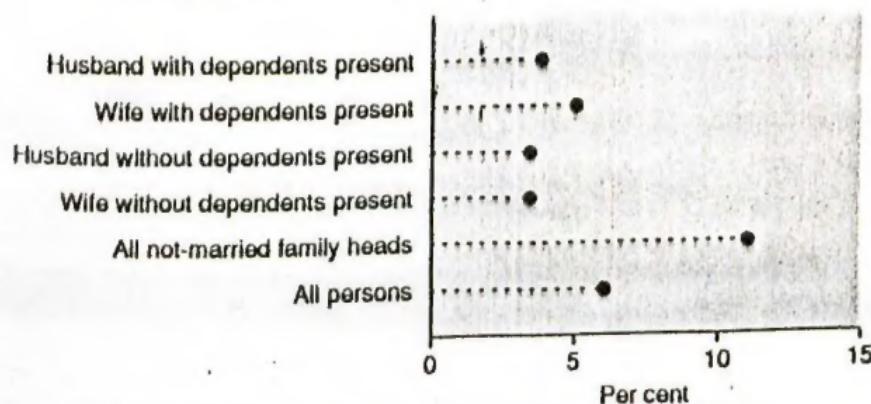
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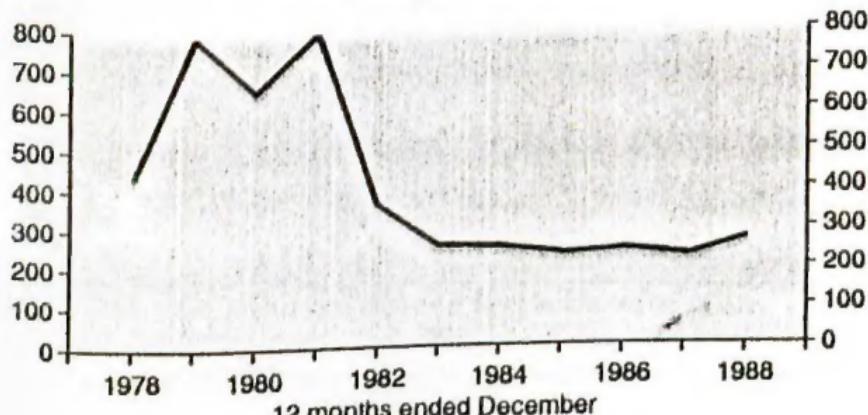
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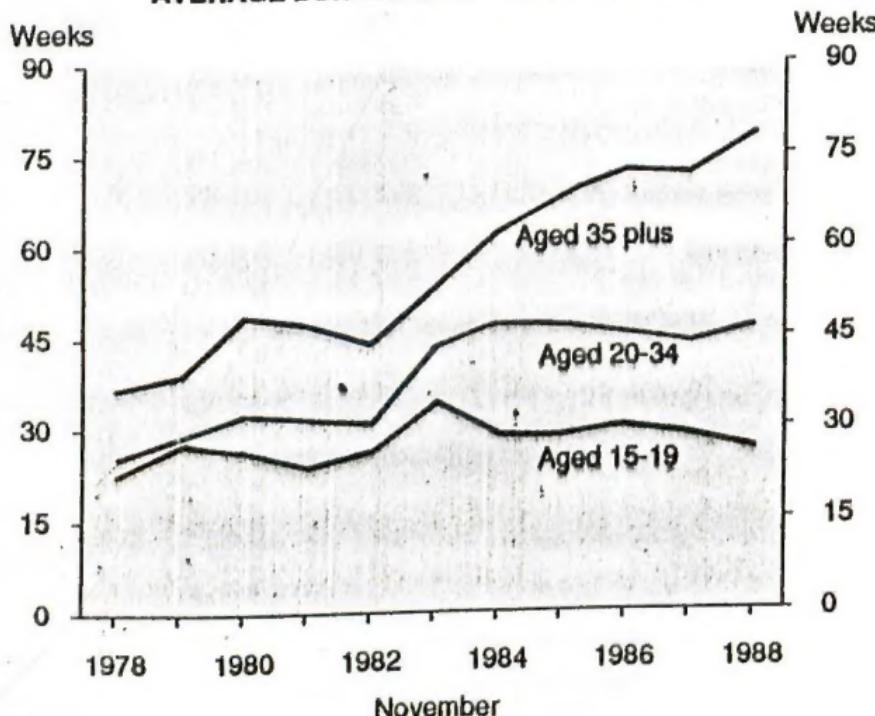
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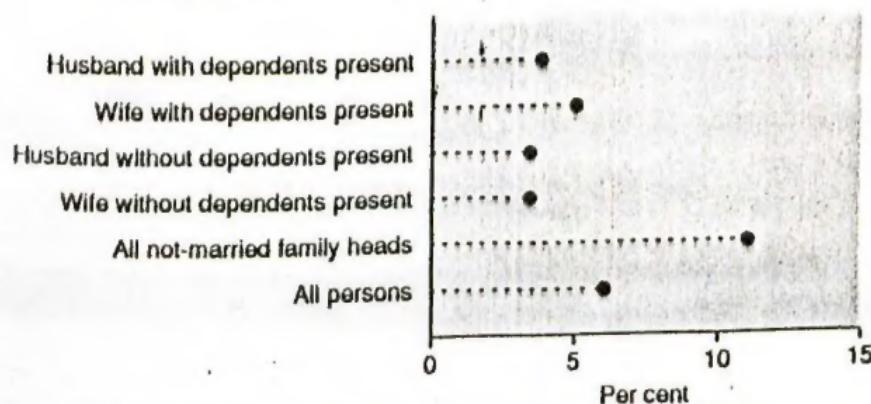
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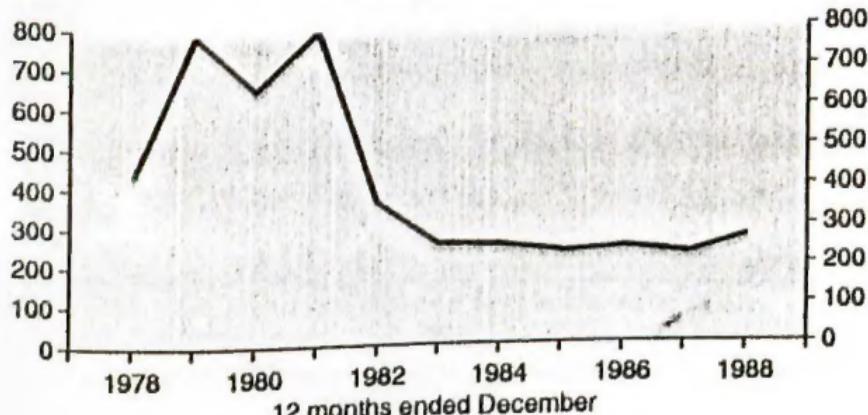
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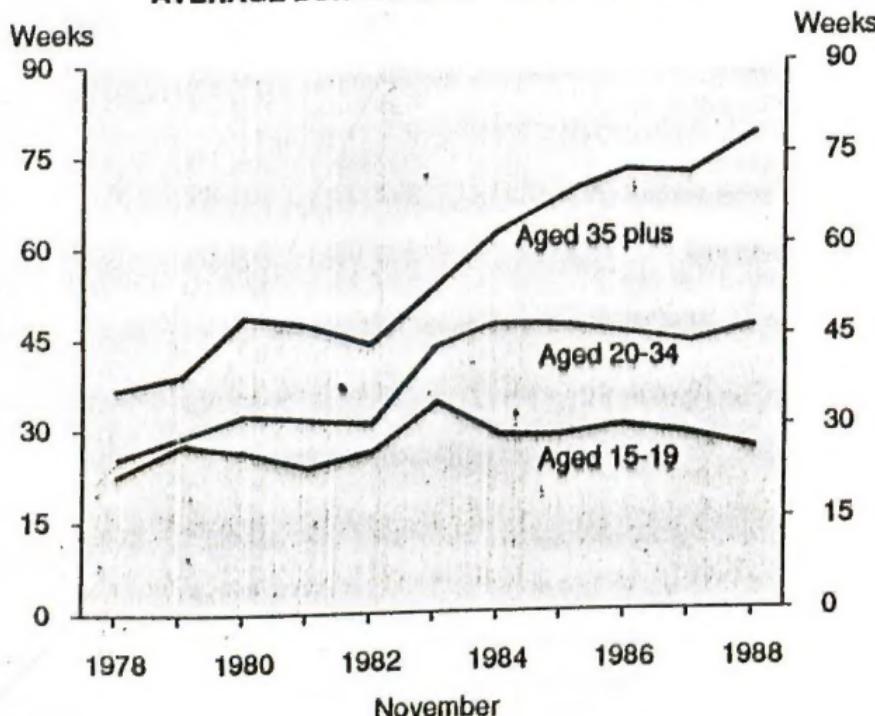
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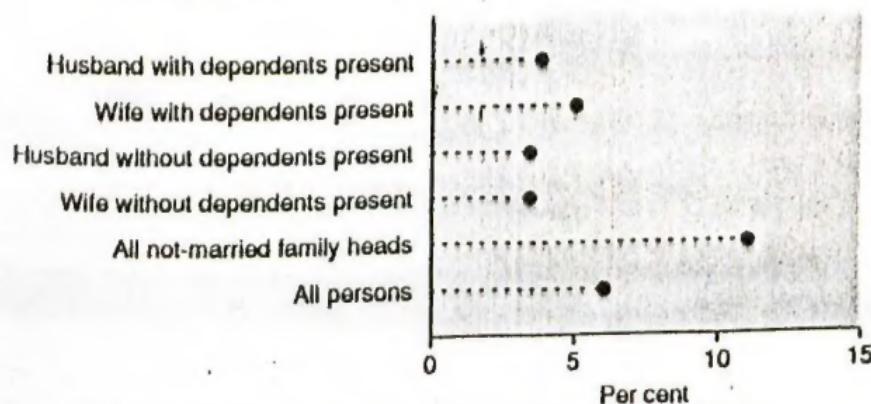
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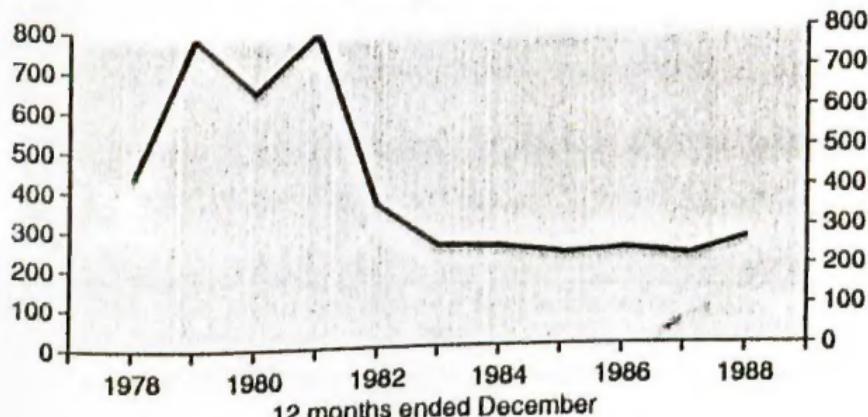
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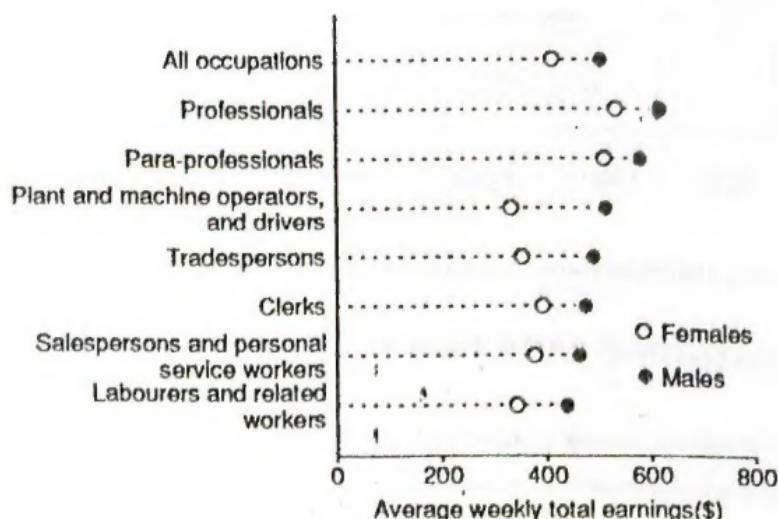
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AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS (\$)

		November 1986	1987r	1988
All males		446.30	470.00	505.20
Full-time adults		488.60	516.30	558.90
All females		287.60	306.50	328.70
Full-time adults		382.00	401.90	439.60
All persons		380.60	401.80	430.10
Full-time adults		455.20	479.70	520.20

Source: Average Weekly Earnings, States and Australia (6302.0)

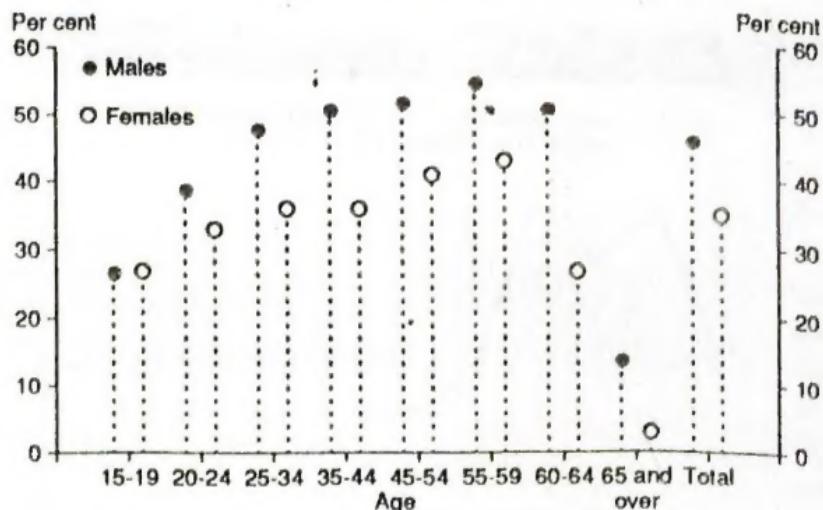
AVERAGE WEEKLY TOTAL EARNINGS OF FULL-TIME ADULT NON-MANAGERIAL EMPLOYEES, MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUPS, MAY 1988



Source: Distribution and Composition of Employee Earnings and Hours, Australia, May 1988 (6306.0)

TRADE UNIONS

PROPORTION OF ALL EMPLOYEES WHO WERE A MEMBER OF A TRADE UNION, AND AGE, AUGUST 1988



Source: Trade Union Members, Australia, August 1988 (6325.0)

INTERNATIONAL COMPARISONS

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS, 1988

	<i>Civilian Employment, June (million)</i>	<i>average for year (million)</i>	<i>Unemploy- ment rate, average for year (per cent)</i>
Australia(a)	16.5	7.4	7.2
U.S.A.	246.3	115.0	5.4
Japan	(b) 122.1	60.1	2.5
Germany (Fed. Rep.)	61.2	25.6	7.9
United Kingdom	57.1	25.4	8.3
Italy	57.4	20.8	11.8
Canada	26.0	12.3	7.8
Sweden	8.4	4.4	1.6

(a) Revised series. (b) June 1987.

Source: UN Monthly Bulletin of Statistics, June 1989; OECD Labour Force Statistics 1/1989.

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